road station is situated may be transferred to the Hosdurga Taluk.

Reply of Government.—Will be referred to the Revenue Commissioner for disposal.

SUBJECT No. 477.

Construction of roads in the Bagur Village Union.

Mr. Venkatanarnappa, Hosdurga Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—There are two tanks at Bagur, one to the east and the other to the west of it and there is extensive wet cultivation on the southern side of the village. Consequently carts going to villages situated at short distances in those directions are obliged to take a circuitous route of four or five miles. To avoid this inconvenience, it is prayed that two short roads, one on the eastern tank bund and another as far as Paledahalli village may be opened.

The funds required for the work may be met from the sum of Rs. 1,900 which was at the credit of the defunct Bagur Municipality and which has been subsequently credited to District Funds after its formation into a Union.

Reply of Government.—The matter is one for the consideration of the Local Board.

SUBJECT No. 478.

Establishment of an Indigenous Hospital at Bagur.

Mr. Venkatanarnappa, Hosdurga Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—An Indigenous Hospital may be established in the Bagur Union for the benefit of the people of Bagur and other surrounding ten or twelve villages.

Reply of Government.—May be represented to the Local Board.

SUBJECT No. 479.

Construction of a tank near Devarbelakere across Sulekerehalla.

Mr. Srinivas Sitaram Kulkarni, Harihar Sub-Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—The project for the construction of a tank near Devalbelakere across Sulekerehalla may be ordered to be put in hand. The tank when completed will irrigate about 3,000 acres and yield a large amount of revenue to Government besides affording work to the cooly classes. The desirability of putting the work in hand immediately has been urged before the Second Councillor and the Superintending Engineer, Eastern Circle, when they last visited Harihar.

Reply of Government.—This question is under consideration.

SUBJECT No. 480.

Water-supply to Harihar town.

Mr. Rattihalli Govindappa, Harihar Municipality.

Summary of discussion.—The population of the Harihar town has decreased on account of the frequent visitations of plague and cholera. The people suffer from want of wholesome water. The river water has been medically condemned as being unfit for drinking purposes owing to the presence of cholera germs in it. The necessity for water works to this town has been repeatedly represented to Government and the same has been recognized by them (*vide* reply of Government to Subject Nos. 491 and 492 of

1905). As the Superintending Engineer of the Eastern Circle has completed the project, the work may be sanctioned and put in hand early.

Reply of Government.—This question is under consideration.

SUBJECT No. 481.

Diversion of Jalankere tank channel-water through the kharabland of the Makkan.

Mr. Rattihalli Govindappa, Harihar Municipality.

Summary of discussion.—The water that used to collect in the Jalankere tank at Harihar, which was filled up owing to its insanitary condition, is led off to the river by a channel through Brahmapuri. The existence of this channel which is in disrepair has been a source of much unhealthiness to the inhabitants and it may therefore be diverted through the kharab land belonging to the *Makkan* at the place. In reply to Subject No. 490 of 1905, the Government stated that the Public Works Department would be asked to ascertain the cost of the work.

Reply of Government.—A report in the matter has been called for from the Public Works Department.

TUMKUR DISTRICT.

(Nos. 482--508).

SUBJECT No. 482.

A new tank near Tumbadi.

Mr. Channabasavaradhya, Koratagere Sub-Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—Construction of a new tank near Tumbadi village is prayed for. The water running in the stream which goes to waste may be profitably impounded for wet cultivation.

Reply of Government.—The project for this work has been sanctioned for Rs. 1,24,801 and placed on the famine programme, being unremunerative.

SUBJECT No. 483.

Koratagere Sub-Taluk to be constituted a taluk.

Mr. Channabasavaradhya, Koratagere Sub-Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—Koratagere was formerly the head-quarters of a taluk consisting of seven hoblis with a revenue of Rs. 98,000. The present sub-taluk consists of three hoblis and its present revenue is Rs. 70,393-2-7. It is therefore requested that it may be reconstituted into a taluk.

Reply of Government.—Cannot be done.

SUBJECT No. 484.

Improvement of Durga tank, Chiknayakanhalli Taluk.

Messrs. Gange Gowda and Narasimhaiya, Chiknayakanhalli Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—Durga tank is the source of irrigation for the Chiknayakanhalli bagayet lands, and the subject of increasing its capacity to irrigate fully the heavily assessed bagayet lands is being pressed for consideration from a very long time. Favorable early orders are prayed for.

Reply of Government.—To the Chief Engineer for disposal.

SUBJECT No. 485.

Construction of a bridge across the halla near Ankasandra.

Messrs. Gange Gowda and Narasimhaiya, Chiknayakanhalli Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—The road lately opened from Chiknayakanhalli to Mattighatta crosses the halla near Ankasandra. During rainy seasons carts cannot ford the stream if it is in flood. It is therefore requested that